

**RECEIVED**

**Nov 17 2025**

**SC Court of Appeals**

IN THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
In the Court of Appeals

---

APPEAL FROM HORRY COUNTY  
Court of Common Pleas

The Honorable G.D. Morgan, Circuit Court Judge

---

Appellate Case No. 2025-001556

---

Barbara Gail Bowick .....Appellant,

v.

Carlos Alejandro Gomez .....Respondent.

---

**PROOF OF SERVICE**

---

This is to certify that the undersigned counsel has caused to be served this day the **Initial Brief of Respondent and Respondent’s Designation of Matter** via electronic mail to the address stated in the Supreme Court Order 2022-05-06-03 and in accordance with Rule 262, SCACR, and additionally via electronic mail to the following counsel of record in this matter as set forth below on the following page:

William R. Padget  
Christina M. Brown  
HHP LAW GROUP, LLC  
2020 Assembly Street  
Columbia, South Carolina 29201  
bill@hhplawgroup.com  
christina@hhplawgroup.com

Chad W. Fuller, Esquire  
Katie A. Fuller, Esquire  
Fuller Law for Riders  
322 S Lakeshore Drive  
Gilbert, SC 29054  
chad@fullerlawforriders.com  
katie@fullerlawforriders.com

***Attorneys for Plaintiff/Appellant Barbara Gail Bowick***

Respectfully submitted,

s/Wesley B. Sawyer  
Wesley B. Sawyer, Esquire  
S.C. Bar No. 100229  
Rogers E. Harrell, III, Esquire  
S.C. Bar No. 101532  
Murphy & Grantland, P.A.  
P.O. Box 6648  
Columbia, SC 29260  
(803) 782-4100  
wsawyer@murphygrantland.com  
Attorneys for Respondent

Columbia, South Carolina  
November 17, 2025

RECEIVED

Nov 17 2025

SC Court of Appeals

**From:** [Michelle Kiser](#)  
**To:** ["bill@hhplawgroup.com"](mailto:bill@hhplawgroup.com); ["christina@hhplawgroup.com"](mailto:christina@hhplawgroup.com); [Chad Fuller](#); [Katie Fuller](#)  
**Cc:** [Rogers E. Harrell, III](#); [Wesley B. Sawyer](#); [Kimberly Fortner](#)  
**Subject:** Barbara Gail Bowick v. Carlos Alejandro Gomez - Case No. 2025-001556 (1115-5184)  
**Date:** Monday, November 17, 2025 3:52:45 PM  
**Attachments:** [Kitchinas 11-17-25 Enclosed Respondent's Initial Brief and DOM.pdf](#)  
[image001.png](#)  
[image002.png](#)  
[Initial Brief of Respondent.pdf](#)  
[Designation of Matters.pdf](#)  
[Proof of Service.pdf](#)

---

Good afternoon,

Please see the attached for service upon you correspondence, Initial Brief of Respondent, Designation of Matter, and Proof of Service, which are being filed with the South Carolina Court of Appeals today. A copy of this message will also be filed along with the attached Proof of Service. Thank you.

Kindest regards,



Michelle L. Kiser

Legal Assistant

for Wesley B. Sawyer, Esquire,

Timothy J. Newton, Esquire,

and W. Tradd Stover, Esquire

[mkiser@murphygrantland.com](mailto:mkiser@murphygrantland.com)

Post Office Box 6648

Columbia, SC 29260

Direct: 803-205-1526(ext. 1526)

Fax: 803-782-4140

[www.murphygrantland.com](http://www.murphygrantland.com)



*Please be advised that this e-mail and any files transmitted with it are confidential attorney-client communications or may otherwise be privileged or confidential and are intended solely for the individual or entity to whom they are addressed. If you are not the intended recipient, please do not read, copy or retransmit this communication but destroy it immediately. Any unauthorized dissemination, distribution or copying of this communication is strictly prohibited.*



Wesley B. Sawyer  
Phone: (803) 454-1233  
wsawyer@murphygrantland.com

November 17, 2025

**Via Email**

The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings  
Clerk of Court  
South Carolina Court of Appeals  
1220 Senate Street  
Columbia, South Carolina 29201  
[ctappfilings@sccourts.org](mailto:ctappfilings@sccourts.org)

**RECEIVED**  
**Nov 17 2025**  
**SC Court of Appeals**

Re: Barbara Gail Bowick v. Carlos Alejandro Gomez  
Appellate Case No.: 2025-001556  
Civil Action No.: 2024-CP-26-02217  
Our File No.: 1115-5184

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed please find the Initial Brief of Respondent, Respondent's Designation of Matter, and Proof of Service.

By copy of this letter, I am serving same on all counsel. Thank you for your gracious consideration of this request.

Yours truly,

*s/Wesley B. Sawyer*

Wesley B. Sawyer

WBS/mlk

Enclosures

Cc: William R. Padget, Esquire ([bill@hhplawgroup.com](mailto:bill@hhplawgroup.com))  
Christina M. Brown, Esquire ([christina@hhplawgroup.com](mailto:christina@hhplawgroup.com))  
Chad W. Fuller, Esquire ([chad@fullerlawforriders.com](mailto:chad@fullerlawforriders.com))  
Katie A. Fuller, Esquire ([katie@fullerlawforriders.com](mailto:katie@fullerlawforriders.com))  
Rogers E. Harrell, III, Esquire ([rharrell@murphygrantland.com](mailto:rharrell@murphygrantland.com))